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SUBJ: SYG TELEGRAM ON FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS OF UNEF

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF TELEGRAM FROM SYG TO USUN AND OTHER
DELS APPEALING FOR ADVANCE PAYMENT FOR UNEF SINCE UN DOES
NOT HAVE ON HAND CASH RESOURCES TO PAY INITIAL COST.

2. QTE:

HAVE HONOUR TO DRAW URGENT ATTENTION OF YOUR GOVERNMENT TO
FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS OF UNITED NATIONS EMERGENCY FORCE.
FOLLOWING THE ADOPTION BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF RESOLUTION
340 (1973) REGARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A UNITED
NATIONS EMERGENCY FORCE, FIRST CONTINGENTS WERE IMMEDIATELY
DISPATCHED TO THE AREA OF CONFLICT AND THE FORCE IS NOW
BEING BUILT UP TO THE REQUIRED STRENGTH. I HAVE REQUESTED
GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO APPROPRIATE DOLLARS 30 MILLION AT EARLIEST
POSSIBLE DATE TO COVER COSTS OF FORCE FOR 6 MONTHS, FROM
25 OCTOBER 1973.

AS YOUR GOVERNMENT IS AWARE, UNITED NATIONS DOES NOT HAVE
AT ITS DISPOSAL CASH RESOURCES TO PAY INITIAL COSTS. MOREOVER,
CERTAIN OTHER COSTS NORMALLY BORN DIRECTLY BY THE UNITED
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NATIONS MUST BE PAID AS THEY BECOME DUE. WITH THIS IN

MIND, I APPEAL TO YOUR GOVERNMENT TO ADVANCE URGENTLY
IN CONVERTIBLE CURRENCIES SUCH AMOUNTS AS IT MAY FIND
POSSIBLE. AMOUNTS SO ADVANCED WILL BE CREDITED AGAINST
YOUR GOVERNMENTS ASSESSED SHARE OF EXPENSES OF THE FORCE
WHEN APPORTIONED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN ACCORDANCE?
WITH ARTICLE 17, PARAGRAPH 2, OF CHARTER,. SINCE CONSULTATIONS
ON APPORTIONMENT OF EXPENSES COULD TAKE SOME TIME, HAVE
CONSIDERED IT NECESSARY TO MAKE THIS SPECIAL APPEAL FOR
ADVANCES. YOUR GOVERNMENT'S CO-OPERATION IN THIS RESPECT
WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED. HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

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